Y P. PAGE

County Bar
ourt.

out whose character was of such excellence that we did not know more of him. "It is a matter of regret that I did not know him better. I had a very high respect for him. We were all conscious that he had a very high conception of his profession and of life, and that he improved his opportunities. It is a pity that he should not have been spared for a well-rounded life. Had he survived, he would have been a fixed and stable force in the community. He is a serious loss—a sound timber taken out of the structure."

L. H. Shelley paid Mr. Page a well-deserved tribute. "His memory is indelibly written in our minds, and we have learned a good lesson by his noble life. As a united body we have lost a member of strength we cannot replace."

John H. McCoy said he found Mr. Page always pleasant and genial, without ebulition of temper over which to throw the mantle of charity. He was a friend man. "I do feel like singing 'It is well with his death. Why should good men go and old sinners be left: I cannot understand, and I am not satisfied. Perhaps I have not reached the proper stage in life to understand the lesson. Nothing too good can be said for Henry Page."

W. H. Black spoke of Mr. Page's death as particularly sad, possessed as he was of no small knowledge. He was a straight-forward, honorable, upright man, walking constantly in the pathway of rectitude and justice.

David Hutchison spoke at considerable length and with deep feeling on the mystery of death and the power of the Creator. The remarks of Mr. Hutchison were most timely, serving mainly as a lesson to the living, picturing as he did in a forceful and instructive way the grandeur of human life, the wonders of all life, the certainty of death at all ages, and the wisdom of the Almighty, whose ways it is not for us to bring into question.

The closing eulogies were passed by I. D. Walker, Judge Nelson, W. C. Outten and Judge Vail.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Official Report of the Proceedings.

DECATUR, ILL., July 6, 1895.

Present, Mrs. Mary E. Haworth, and Messrs. David S. Shellabarger, John Ullrich and the clerk, E. A. Gastman.

These bills were ordered paid:

N. W. Harris & Co.	$12.00
Morehouse, Wells & Co	5 06
Huff Bros. Planing Mill Co.	1 20
Col. Mathias	32 00
H. D. Goshert	16.10
D. A. Maffit	18.16
Decatur Gaslight and Coke Co	6.60
A. Miller	1 50
City of Decatur, water	20 00
John Armstrong	45 00
Isaac N. Martin, sr.	50 00
Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods Co	12 00
S. Burgess	5 00
John Lindsay & Co	3.50
Geo. R. Bacon & Co	8 75
C. B. Prescott	5 00
Abel Carpet & Wall Paper Co	4 74
Hamsher & Calhoun	18.50
Frank W. Haines	35 00
Fleming Gray	2 00
Mueller Plumbing & Heating Co	18.55

The superintendent was directed to have the furnace pipes taken down and the flues thoroughly cleaned out.

It was ordered that bids be received until August 1, 1895, for supplying the necessary school furniture for the schools, also that bids for supplying the necessary coal be received until Aug. 1.

The superintendent was directed to have the annual census of children taken.

Ordered that the board visit the school houses on Tuesday next to see what improvements and repairs should be made during the summer vacation.

The annual tax levy for 1895 was informally but carefully considered. It was the unanimous opinion of the members that the following amounts should be certified to the county clerk before August 15th:

For the general running expenses of the schools	$58,111 00
For the payment of bonds	7,500 00
For building school on Oakland avenue	11,000.00
To provide a "sinking" fund and to pay the interest on bonded debt	9,350.00
For repairs and improvements	2,797.00
Total	$88,758.00

It was ordered that bond number 191, for $7,186.72, together with interest from Nov. 1, 1894, and due to the City of Decatur be paid, Aug. 1st, 1895, from the proceeds of bonds lately sold.

On motion adjourned.

D. S. SHELLABARGER, Pres.
E. A. GASTMAN, Clerk.

Sales of Real Estate.

Caroline M. Powers to Verder Hudson, lot 3, block 4, Powers' fourth addition—$1.

W. J. Chenoweth to M. Eichinger, lots 10, 11, 12, 13, 15, 16, 17, 18, block 6, Eichinger Heights—$3,200.

Eliza R. Piper to M. Eichinger, lot 14, block 6, and lot 8, block 7, Eichinger Heights—$800.

THE little son of Mr. and Mrs. John Wimberly, of Jacksonville, is in a precarious condition from the explosion of a firecracker.

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We have a Bevel-edge Glass Chevale 3 piece Suit, full size, extra large wash stand, for only..... $12.50

Others may talk about values, but when we quote prices we mean just what we advertise. These prices can only be made for cash.

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Dozens Ladies' and Misses' Ribbed Vests at 5c.
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Dozens Ladies' and Misses' Ribbed Vests, silk tape arm and neck, 14c
Dozens Ladies' and Misses' Ribbed Drawers, at 14c.
Dozens Ladies' and Misses' Ribbed Union Suits.
Dozens Men's Gauze Shirts and Drawers at 24c each.
Dozens Men's Lisle Shirts and Drawers at 49c each.

1001 { LADIES' SILK UMBRELLAS, Paragon Frame, at 97c. Ladies' Blue and Brown Umbrellas to close. Children's Parasols to close at less than cost.

H. C. Anthony

DECATUR, ILL.

WOMAN WITH A WILL,

And Not Wanting, Either, a Very Decided Wont,

MRS. COTTIER REFUSES TO ANSWER

The All-Important Question of Her Child's Whereabouts and is Sentenced to Six Months in Jail—An Appeal and a Stay.

CHICAGO, July 9.—Plucky Mrs. Alonzo E. Cottier again flatly refused to tell anything about her child Florence yesterday, and Judge Payne entered an order compelling her to stay in jail for six months, unless she concludes to disclose the whereabouts of the girl before that time. She will not go to jail just yet, however, as the judge allowed her to have an appeal, and, pending that appeal, granted a stay of the order until the appelate court shall have a chance to review the case. Bail was fixed at $2,500, which was given.

The case developed some new and interesting features yesterday morning. Judge Payne took the woman in hand, and in every way tried to induce her to tell something of the child, but his words were wasted. He even intimated that he had some inside knowledge, asking if the name of the child's guardians was not Jones, and if they did not live near Toronto, Can. The vigorous cross-questioning of the court brought out nothing that would tend to solve the mystery. Mrs. Cottier said the child was not in this state; that she saw it last two weeks ago. She did not know where the child was at this time, and had no means of communicating with its guardians. They knew her address, but she did not know theirs.

"Did you not know when you gave the child into the custody of these people where they lived?" asked the court.

"No."

"Is it a man and wife who have the child?"

"Yes."

"Where they friends of your youth?"

"One of them was—the lady. I went to boarding school with her."

"When have you received a letter from these guardians?"

"About two years ago."

"When did you see the child last?"

"I have seen her three times since February 6, 1883, the first time in Detroit, and the second and third times in New York city."

"You are not now prepared to say whether the child is living or dead?"

"I am almost sure she is living, as I would have heard from her guardians if she were dead."

"You don't mean to say that, as a mother, you are absolutely ignorant of the whereabouts of this child?"

"Yes, that is what I mean to say."

Once the guardians took the child to Europe. This much the court elicited. But when he asked her point-blank to describe the child, she said:

"I think it is my duty not to answer that question. The safety of the child would be jeopardized if I were to give any clue to her whereabouts. From my knowledge of the father I think he would take a delight in molesting her and the people who brought her up."

"Don't you think you are impairing her chances to be an heiress by not letting her father know where she is?"

"No. Her father has between a quarter and a half million, but I have no confidence in him providing for her. She now passes as the child of those people, and is happy and contented. She thinks she has no other parents."

Alonzo F. Cottier, in a suit for divorce, asked for the custody of the child. Mrs. Cottier filed a cross-bill, and it was in the trial of these issues that the question of the whereabouts of the child, which the mother has from the beginning refused to disclose, came up.

"WHAT shall we do with our daughters?" Teach them to cook with Dr. Price's Baking Powder.

AMERICAN RABBIS

In Annual Central Conference at Rochester.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., July 9.—Rochester will be the center of attraction this week for the Jews in this country and their friends, as the annual central conference of American rabbis will be held here. This body is a society of Jewish rabbis which was organized July 19, 1889, at Detroit, through the efforts of the reformed or liberal branch of Jewish teachers.

The opening session will be held Wednesday evening. At this meeting an address of welcome will be delivered by Dr. Max Landsberg, which will be responded to in behalf of the conference by Dr. G. Gottheim, of New York city. Following this will be read the annual message of the president of the conference, Dr. Isaac L. Wise, of Cincinnati.

All the leading rabbis from cities all over the United States will be in attendance.

THERE is one medicine that will cure immediately. We refer to De Witt's Colic and Cholera Cure for all Summer Complaints. No delay, no disappointment, no failures. J. W. Eichinger.

A FRIGHTFUL ACCIDENT

Caused by a Runaway Trolley Car Jumping the Track at a Curve.

BUFFALO, N. Y., July 9.—Nine men were badly injured by the derailing of a trolley car at North Buffalo yesterday morning. A gang of about seventy-five Italians and Poles boarded the car to go to Tonawanda. Just after the car left the station the motorman noticed that something was wrong with the brakes. The car was then on a steep grade, and its speed increased until it reached a frightful velocity. The car went bounding over the rails, and the passengers grew terribly excited, and it was with difficulty they were restrained from jumping out. For three-quarters of a mile the car went rushing along until it struck a curve and jumped the track, tumbling over and over into the ditch and being reduced to kindling wood. Those of the passengers who escaped injury went to the assistance of those beneath the car, and soon had them removed. Nine were found to be quite badly injured, but only two—Victor Marcel, a Pole, and Pasquelo Suallo, an Italian—were seriously hurt.

The National Schuetzenfest Closed.

NEW YORK, July 9.—The National Schuetzenfest at Glendale park closed yesterday. Many winners will be placed and graded to-day, and one or two delayed matches will probably be decided. The gold king's medal has been won by Frederick S. Ross, of Brooklyn, who made 371 points in 200 shots. This average tops all previous records.

Raised to the Peerage.

LONDON, July 9.—Rt. Hon. Matthews, member of parliament for the east division of Birmingham, who held the post of secretary of state for home Africa August, 1886, to August, 1892, in the ministry of Lord Salisbury, has been raised to the peerage as Viscount Gladmorgan.

Pacific Mail Steamship Co.'s Earnings for May.

NEW YORK, July 9.—For May the Pacific Mail Steamship Co. reports gross earnings of $462,314; an increase of $7,609. Expenses, $348,398; increase, $41,701; net, $113,916; decrease, $34,092, and balance, $101,416, decrease, $34,093.

Sentenced to be Electrocuted.

NEW YORK, July 9.—Recorder Goff yesterday morning sentenced Vincenzo Vino, the wife-murderer, to be electrocuted some time during the week beginning Monday, August 12, at Sing Sing.

WHEREVER the compass points there will be found Dr. Price's Baking Powder.

THE great peat fields near Manito, Mason county, are again on fire and many hundreds of acres of corn are in danger of being destroyed.

PERSONS who are subject to diarrhœa will find a speedy cure in De Witt's Colic and Cholera cure. Use no other. It is the best that can be made or that money can procure. It leaves the system in natural condition after use. We sell it. J. W. Eichinger.

TOM M. MORGAN has sold his interest in the Urbana *Courier* to his partner, S. W. Love, who has assumed control.

MRS. M. D. RUGG, of Champaign, was badly hurt on the 4th of July by a cannon firecracker striking her on the neck and jaw.

JOHN BASHER, north of Dana, has a tube well that flows out of a pipe seven feet above the surface.

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

Fair and beautiful—the woman who keeps at a distance the complexion beautifiers, paints and powders, which soon ruin the face. A healthy glow to the skin, a face without wrinkles, and sparkling eyes, will be yours if you keep the system and the special internal organs in good condition. The young girl, or woman, often grows pale, wrinkled and thin, eats little, everything wearies her, she complains of herself as aching and sore and as sleeping poorly. Often she is troubled with backache, or a tender spine, with a bearing-down weight in the abdomen, or at periods she may be irregular, or suffer extreme pain from functional derangements.

Dr. Pierce, chief consulting physician to the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, of Buffalo, N. Y., in his long and active experience, met many cases of this kind, for which he used a prescription which was found to cure such difficulties permanently in *ninety-eight per cent.* of all cases. Having proven so successful, Dr. Pierce put his "Favorite Prescription" on the market, and it is to-day sold more largely than any other medicine for the ills of woman.

For all functional derangements, displacements, ulceration, inflammation, and the catarrhal drain from the lining membranes of the special internal organs of women, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription reaches the origin of the trouble, and corrects it.

MRS. CRIM.

MRS. MARY CRIM, of *Frankfort, Franklin Co., Ill.*, writes: "A few years ago I took cold, which resulted in female trouble, and affected my whole system. About a year ago, I took chills, had once or two a month; they were very weakening. Had pains in my sides, more frequently in left side; gradually grew worse until, finally, I had to take to bed. I had a bad cough and couldn't rest. I commenced taking your medicine, took it about four months, taking seven bottles of Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription and five of his "Golden Medical Discovery." My weight has increased, and I feel better and stouter than I have for years."

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FOR TEN DAYS ONLY.

I find that the two large business rooms that I am now using to show my Carriages and Buggies are entirely too small for the large shipment of goods that I am now receiving, and in order to make room for the goods that are now on the road, I will make a special reduction of 15 to 20 per cent on all Buggies, Surreys, Road Wagons, to last but ten days from Friday, June 21. This kind of a sale is a rare thing, so take advantage of the low prices while it lasts.

J. C. BEATTY,

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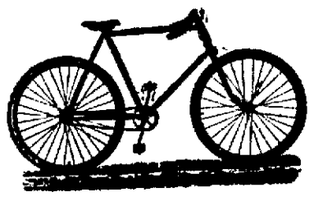

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J. B. Bullard,

FUNERAL DIRECTOR.

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Call and See Us.

Take Notice

Of the Great Slaughter Sale of Suits and Odd Pants at Chas. E. Morgan's.

Take the choice of any Suit in the Store for $10, worth $12 to $18.

$8.00, $9.00, $10 and $11 Suits go at	$7.98
$5.00, $6.00 and $7.00 Suits	4.48
$4.00, $5.00 and $6.00 Dress Pants at	3.98
See our Men's Dress Pants at	1.98
See our Men's Dress Pants at	2.48
Boys' Long Pant Suit, sizes 14 to 19	$2 50 and up
Children's Knee Pant Suits	75c and up
Jeans Pants	40c and up

If in need of any Clothing call and examine my goods and prices and be convinced that I can save you 25 per cent on your purchase. This sale is for 30 days only; come in early before the stock is broken.

CHAS. E. MORGAN,

118 Merchant St., - Decatur, Illinois.

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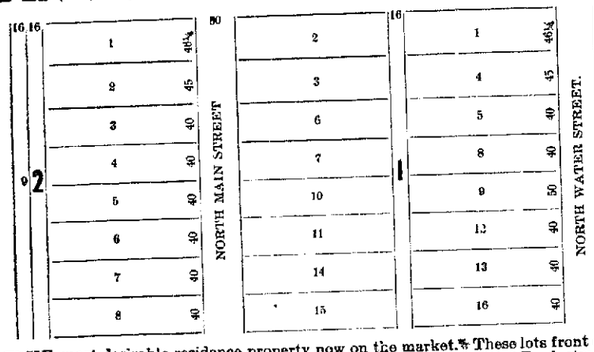

THE most desirable residence property now on the market. These lots front on North Water and North Main streets and lie just north of Pugh street. Water street is the greatest thoroughfare of the city, and always will be. North Main street, at present the best residence street in the city running north and south, will in the near future be one of the leading fashionable residence streets of the city.

Property on all sides of this addition is built up with good residences. These lots are offered at prices that will sell them in a hurry and they are bound to increase in value fifty per cent. in the next year or two.

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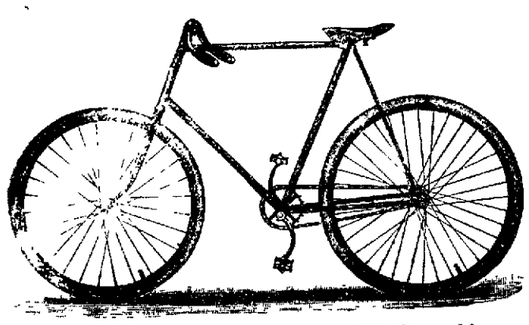

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TUESDAY, JULY 9, 1895.

A Wild Political Scheme.

A Washington dispatch says the Republicans of nine silver states have entered into a compact to go into the national Republican convention and submit the name of Senator Cameron as their choice for presidential nominee, and if his name is rejected and the convention refuses to name a free silver coinage man for president the delegates from those states will withdraw from the convention. This is part one of the reported scheme. Part two is to the effect that they will subsequently attend the Democratic convention, as a committee, and there will offer the votes of their states to that party, in consideration for the nomination of a free silver coinage candidate for president. Part three is dependent upon the action of the Democratic convention. In case it refuses to accede to their demand then the states will put none but free silver electors on either ticket and force the electoral college to name a free coinage man for president.

Since the days of secession conspiracies nothing more infamous has been conjured up. Nothing so utterly regardless of the rights of American citizens has ever been invented. Electors, when voted for by the American voter, represent the candidate for president at the head of the ticket, and while there is no law to prevent him doing otherwise, common honesty dictates that the elector shall cast his vote in accordance with the wish of the people who elected him, as expressed at the polls, for the candidate of the party for president. The law of honesty is paramount to any written law, and yet here we have a proposition that the wishes of the people shall be disregarded by the elector, whose name on the ticket was not of sufficient importance to the voters to cause one in a thousand to read it.

The other proposition is equally reprehensible. When delegates are sent to a convention by a constituency representing a party, they are expected to take part in the proceedings of that convention on the same footing as every other delegate, and abide by the decision of the majority, and any delegate who goes in with the mental reservation that he will not comply with these rules under certain conditions is dishonest and unfair with his colleagues. If he were to announce to a convention that he reserved the right to bolt the convention, if he were not allowed to dictate its proceedings, he would not be allowed to take part in its proceedings, and this is precisely what will be done with the delegates from the silver states if the story sent out from Washington is true.

The Republican party can afford to be beaten at the polls, but it can not afford to favor dishonest money or any other policy detrimental to the interests of the people. The Republican party lost nothing by the defeat of 1892 because its policies were right. The Democratic party gained nothing by its victory because its policies were wrong. The people who suffered from the bad results of the bad policies, in the elections of 1894 demonstrated that after a fair trial they preferred the Republican party, and they are in no humor now to submit to any such scheme to defeat the Republican party for the husks of free silver, as is reported the campaigners of the free silver states have entered into.

New Law on Chattel Mortgages

The present legislature has changed the law in relation to chattel mortgages, and it is probably a fact that a large majority of the chattel mortgages executed in Illinois since July 1, when the act became a law, are absolutely void, because so little has been said about it that few have paid any attention to its requirements. One of the sections of this law reads as follows:

All notes secured by chattel mortgages shall state upon their face that they are so secured, and when assigned by the payee therein named, shall be subject to all defences existing between the payee and the payor of said notes the same as if the said notes were held by the payee therein named, and any chattel mortgage securing notes which do not state upon their face the fact of such security shall be absolutely void.

This provision is entirely new. The law is all right, because it is just, but it is likely to work much harm until the public learns of its existence. Another section of the law provides how sales shall be made under chattel mortgages. In case of the sale of personal property under such mortgage, the law provides that the sale must be made in the county where the property was situated and the mortgagor resided when the mortgage was made. There is an exception in favor of furniture sold by regulars on the installment plan. Where there is more than one mortgage the mortgagee before selling the property must give notice by mail and by posting notices to one or more of the mortgagors three days before the sale, and after the sale he must send itemized statements to distant mortgagors. The object of the law is to protect the people against unprincipled mortgage sharks.

It is presumed the president was disappointed that the last new-comer was not a boy. This presumption may not be good nor logical. Grover may have advanced ideas about the new woman.

Another daughter has been born to President and Mrs. Cleveland. The president sticks to girls as tenaciously as he does to free trade.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—The associated banks of New York city held on Saturday $32,173,700 in excess of the requirements of the 25-per-cent. rule.

—The wages of the employes of the Pacific rolling mill at San Francisco, have been voluntarily advanced 10 per cent. Better outlook for trade is the cause.

—Capt. Paul Webb, whose back was broken while riding down a chute to Lake Cœur d'Alene, is still alive and says he will live to make other rides. The doctors have no hopes.

—News from India says that J. F. G. Lester, acting superintendent of police at Codra, and a nephew of Sir Edwin Arnold, was killed by his wife on May 8. She explains that her husband was brutal to her. They are highly connected.

—The British house of lords and the house of commons reassembled at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Parliament was then formally prorogued until July 24. A decree of dissolution will be made to-day, immediately after which writs for a new election will be issued.

—The supreme court of Kansas rendered its decision Saturday morning in the case of Mrs. Mary E. Lease against the members of the state board of charities in favor of the defendant, George C. Clark, who was appointed to succeed her as a member of the body. This removes Mrs. Lease from office.

—Alarming reports have been circulated in Rio Janeiro in the last few days of a conspiracy on the part of the chiefs of the army and navy to overthrow the government and form a junta or provisional government with Gen. Quadeos as war minister and Gen. Gonclaves as minister of marine.

—A dispatch from Washington declares that there is not a drydock in this country large enough to take on our battleships, and that in consequence two of these vessels will be compelled to use the drydocks at Halifax. This would prove an awkward predicament in case of war, especially with England.

—Saturday morning Judge Acheson in the United States circuit court at Pittsburgh, Pa., rendered an opinion in the suit of the Dupont Powder Co. of Wilmington, Del., vs. The City of Pittsburgh, to prevent the issue and sale of nearly $6,000,000 bonds for public improvement. The court's decision was favorable to the city.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars reward for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price, 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

W. B. Ricky, who moved from Roanoke to Danville several years ago, has moved to Dana, where he has rented an elevator and will buy grain.

A Household Treasure.

D. W. Fuller, of Conajoharie, N. Y. says that he always keeps Dr. King's New Discovery in the house, and his family has always found the very best results follow its use; that he would not be without it, if procurable. G. A. Dykeman, druggist, Catskill, N. Y., says that Dr. King's New Discovery is undoubtedly the best Cough remedy; that he has used it in his family for eight years, and it never failed to do all that it claimed for it. Why not try a remedy so long tried and tested? Trial bottles free at King & Metz's drug store. Regular size 50c and $1.00. cm

Champaign and Urbana are trying to "get together" on the sewerage question. Champaign may have to get an outlet through Urbana.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For Sale By

King & Metz.

When occasion demands its use, try De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. It is cooling to burns, stops pain instantly, cleanses, a perfect healer for scalds or skin eruptions. Always cures piles. J. W. Eichinger.

H. G. Bruning, of Havana, has been awarded the contract for building the new city hall at Lincoln. Its cost will be about $13,500.

The most pleasant little pills for regulating the bowels are De Witt's Early Risers. Cure sick headache and constipation. Small pill. Small dose. J. W. Eichinger.

Dr. Mayor Pegram, of Manchester, Ill., died from an overdose of morphine. He was aged 54. It was suicide.

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The head is shaped like a bullhead, but has no horny protuberances. The eyes are set close together in the top of

THE FISH SAILED AWAY.

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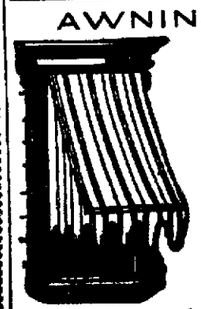

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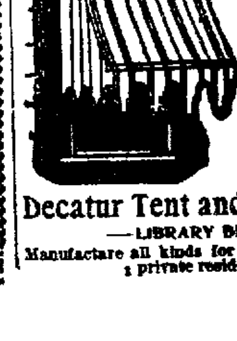

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Choice patterns in French All-Wool Challies,	29c yd
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Choice patterns, all colors, Swivel Silks, at	35c yd
Wash Dimities, in choice white ground, at	8⅓c yd
50 pieces Imported Satin Broches for dresses, This fabric sold last year at 40c yard.	19c yd
Finest Scotch Ginghams, all new patterns, at	19c yd
Same quality Scotch Ginghams, black and white only, at....................	5c yd
100 dozen Fine Fringed Linen Napkins,	5c each
Bales of Pure Linen Crash at	5c yd
500 Sailor Hats, in black, brown and and navy straw at....................	7c each
200 Stylish Trimmed Hats at exactly half price.	
Stylish Cloth Capes, worth $3.50 to $5.00 each, all at one price, each....................	$2.95
A great chance to buy a light-weight wrap for evening or early fall wear.	
All-Wool Serge and Broadcloth Dress Skirts, perfect fitting, wellmade,	$2.50 to 4.95
A new lot of Stylish Laundried Percale Waists, a manufacturer's surplus stock, worth 75 cents to $1.00; each....................	50c
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ATTEND the camp-meeting at Oakland Park.

SMITH'S Columbia cylinder oils. dtf

TRY the popular Little Rose cigars. They are the boss.

LARGE line of face powders at I. N. Irwin & Co.'s drug store.

THE Decatur Athletics will play the Sullivan club at Sullivan this afternoon.

WABASH excursion to Chicago only $2.00—Saturday night next. 6 d6

"CLEANLINESS is next unto Godliness." Tyler is next, in soft drinks. july5-dlw

BICYCLES for rent and for sale. Dodd Co., 153 Merchant street. apr5-dtf

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THE Decatur Steam Dye Works, 145 North Main street will remain open until 8 o'clock every evening. july8-dtf

IT will pay you to see those splendid pianos and organs on sale at the C. B. Prescott music house. The Reed & Son's and Chickering pianos take the lead.

EVERY one should be very particular who fills their prescriptions. Mr. Urich of *Tyler's Pharmacy*, has had 30 years experience, and is thoroughly reliable. july5-dlw

THE case against Attorney Woodford for assaulting his wife was dismissed in Justice Shorb's court. Mrs. Woodford did not appear to prosecute her husband.

PASTE on your memory the following fact: Tokio shoes, slippers and Oxfords, in tan and black, AAA to D. for ladies and gentlemen, are to be found nowhere in Illinois but at Powers' Shoe Store.

Bob and Corbett.

John Donovan in the Chicago *Record* writes that the farce of trying Fitzsimmons for murder is over and Bob is a free man once more. But really there was nothing in the first place to try him for. A man that kills another, providing he is sane, must have some motive, and he does not use a stuffed glove to do it with, as a general thing. The case of Fitzsimmons and Reardon may be compered to the batter of a ball, who, hitting the sphere, knocks it so hard that in hitting the pitcher he has his neck or skull fractured. Such things can only be accidents. Fitzsimmons killed his sparring partner in just as accidental a manner and the deal of fuss that was raised by the circumstance shows what a real hatred there is for the professional boxer. Fitz, or some one for him, was evidently bled for a lot of money before he was finally let go.

Concerning the Texas end of the Corbett-Fitzsimmons proposed big go, everything seems to be quiet. The state comptroller has got his name in print by writing a letter to the chief sheriff. Neither one of them seems to know anything about fighters. Fitz is training at Serf avenue, Coney Island, while Corbett is doing a little light work at his old quarters at Loch Arbor, Asbury Park, N. J.

"Old Hoss."

The "old hoss" sale of the Pacific Express Company is to be held here some time this week. The local agent has received all kinds of packages from all parts of the country, including a large number of show bills and other things that people do not want. The sale will be by auction, and bidders will have to take chances on what is offered. The amount of stuff to be sold this year, however, is larger than ever before, and it is expected that the number of bidders will be larger.

XERXES whipped the rebellious sea. He was out of temper. Sweetness of temper follows the use of Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder.

Weighed 37 Pounds.

Henry Lichtenberger, of Long Creek, drove up to this office this morning with a Mississippi catfish in his buggy which weighed 37 pounds. The fish was caught in a hollow log yesterday near the I., D. & S. bridge.

Born.

To Mr. and Mrs. William Williams, July 8 on North Monroe, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Henry Williams, July 8 on North Monroe, a daughter.

Dr. T. S. Hoskins, Dentist, Opera House Block, ground floor.. jan 24-d&wtf

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

R. R. Montgomery Elected Mayor Pro Tem.

The Council Gives Assurance to a Proposed Enterprise—Proposition to Tax Vehicles—Other Business.

Only ten members of the city council were present when that body was called to order last night. Those absent were Mayor Conklin and Aldermen Thayer, Mathias and Bolen. Alderman Bolen came in later on. The clerk announced that the mayor was absent, and that it would be necessary for the aldermen to elect one from among their number to be mayor pro tem. Alderman Stratton was unanimously chosen against his protests and was led up to the chair by Ald. Simpson, but when they reached water he refused to drink, emphatically refusing to serve in that capacity. Ald. Montgomery was then elected, and he too was reluctant about serving, but finally consented and took the chair.

Some parties who are looking for a location for a packing house plant which will require at least five acres of ground upon which to erect the buildings, four in number, of the following dimensions, one 80x100 feet, three stories high; one 30x80 feet, two stories high; one 30x60 feet, two stories high, and one 30x80, two stories high, before they can consider Decatur as a probable location, asked the council through J. M. Clokey to assure them that they will be given sufficient sewerage and water service. The point they selected to build the plant in case they decided to locate in Decatur is south of the union elevator east of the city. Mr. Clokey, who was present, made a statement concerning this enterprise, and in the course of his remarks said that if the Allen addition were taken into the city, which three-fourths of the property owners had petitioned for, and some additional territory, which a petition was now being circulated for, was also taken into the city, only about 600 feet of the sewer to the proposed location of the packing house plant would have to be built at public expense.

Engineer Burgess submitted an estimate of the cost of extending the water service and the sewer to the proposed location, as follows: Distance for extension of water main, 2800 feet; cost, $1445; distance for sewer, 2100 feet; cost, 15 inch sewer, $619—total $2361, provided the Allen addition is taken into the corporate limits of the city.

There was a good deal of discussion among the aldermen as to the propriety of making the promoters of the packing house enterprise the promise requested, but finally the assurance was given by a vote of 5 to 4.

In this discussion it developed that it is the purpose of the council to annex the Allen addition in the near future.

W. L. Oakes was granted a plumber's license, with the understanding that he does not intend to do a general plumbing business, but that such a license under the ordinance is necessary that he may pursue his business, which requires him to make connections with the city water pipes.

Herman Watkins and Joe Bartello asked permission to sell fruit without a license, and both were granted the privilege. Bartello has heretofore been paying a license of $50 a year, and has held permission to vend fruit. His petition last night was to escape the license, which others have not been paying.

The license of Walter Delahunty for a saloon at 632 East Eldorado street was transferred to James Parsons.

Peter Halmbacher asked for a license to sell liquor at the race track from July 23 to 26, inclusive. Referred to finance committee.

The street and alley committee reported favorably on the grading of East avenue from North street to the I., D. & W. The report was adopted.

The street and alley committee reported favorably on a resolution that South Broadway be graded and that the street car tracks be brought to grade. Adopted. The same action was taken on a resolution to grade Washington street from Franklin street east.

The light committee recommended that the old tower from Lincoln Square be erected at the intersection of Wood and Main streets. Adopted.

The public improvement committee recommended the adoption of a resolution providing for a 12-inch sewer on Main street from Pugh street to Johnson avenue.

The ordinance committee recommended that the ordinance extending the license district be not passed. The report was adopted.

In obedience to a prior request of the council the engineer at the water works reported that the electric light plant could be run in connection with the water works at a less expense than it could be operated independently. The light plant he reported consumes 300 pounds of coal per hour. The various pumps, his report says, consumed coal in June as follows: Hughes pump, 30 days, 210 tons; Allis pump, 30 days, 210 tons; electric light plant, 200 hours, 30 tons.

Resolutions were introduced and acted upon as follows:

That the wood curbing on Wood street from Main to Franklin street be replaced with stone and an ordinance to that effect be drawn. Referred.

That the Broadway sewer from Wood street south be extended. Referred.

That an ordinance be drawn for a sidewalk on the south side of Washington from Main to Water streets. Referred.

That one block on Decatur street be paved, commencing at the east side of Haworth avenue and running west to the east line of Oakland avenue. Referred.

That a water trough be built on the south side of Prairie street, 100 feet west of Broadway. Referred.

WHEREAS, A large number of our streets have been paved at a great expense to the abutting property; and whereas, many of those among the first paved are now beginning to show wear, and in many places badly need repair; and whereas, the people most benefitted by our paved streets are those who use them; therefore, be it

Resolved, That a license fee be charged the users of all vehicles as follows, to-wit:

For a two-horse vehicle carrying two tons, $15.

For a two-horse vehicle carrying less than two tons, $10.

For a one-horse vehicle carrying less than two tons, $5.

For a two-horse carriage or buggy, $4.

For a one-horse carriage or buggy, $2.

For each bicycle, $1.

That the funds so collected be set aside for the repairing of paved streets.

Referred to the finance committee.

That a committee of three be appointed to suggest a plan for repairing Short Street station adopted and the mayor appointed Johnson, Irwin and Ahrens.

Alderman Carter wanted to know what had become of the plan to build a sewer on Main street from Lincoln Square east to Broadway. The contract was let to John Mattes, but he disagreed with the council on technical questions said to involve several hundred dollars and never signed a contract. The city attorney was instructed to ask Mr. Mattes what he intended to do.

The council approved the Crown and Nash water meters as being serviceable and accurate, which action opens the way to any person desiring to purchase them and put them in use to do so.

COUNTY BOARD MEETING.

September Grand Jury Chosen—Tax Equalization—Reductions.

The July meeting of the Macon county board of supervisors was held Monday afternoon, when the report of the committee on equalization of taxes was read and adopted. The proposition of H. M. Whitmer to make all connections and heat the county buildings by steam at $900 a year was referred to the committee on public buildings. The Anna B. Millikin Home, which was assessed $200 for taxes, will be taxed $5 only on each of the two lots. Supervisor Nowlin wanted all taxation on the Home removed and offered a motion to that effect. Supervisor Hockaday amended the motion to make the taxation $5 a lot and it was adopted. On motion of Supervisor Muirhead the $100 assessment on block 10 in Harristown was reduced to $30.

The matter of the personal assessment of C. J. Off came up. Mr. Off owns about 200 acres of land nearly equally situated in Illini and Austin townships. Mr. Off's personal tax amounts to about $6,000, and the law provides that in such cases the total tax shall be assessed to the township in which the owner has his actual residence. Mr. Off, however, happens to live in Peoria. Under these circumstances it was decided that the only thing to do was to divide the tax between the two townships, and on motion of Mr. Nowlin this was done.

Following are the names of the grand jurors chosen to serve at the September term of the circuit court:

Austin—John Johnson.
Blue Mound—W. P. Sleeter.
Decatur—Frank Stoey, J. W. Sanner, Ohalleran Flemming, William Denz.
Friends Creek—Alfred Marsh.
Long Creek—Hamilton Phillips, John B. Soren.
Hickory Point—T. R. McIntosh.
Harristown—George Boughn.
Illini—Charles Hastings.
Niantic—James Muldoon.
Maroa—James Hockaday, Jacob Reynolds.
Oakley—Austin Dunham.
Mt. Zion—C. M. Fletcher.
Milam—C. W. Cloud.
South Wheatland—William H. Crickman.
Pleasant View—C. H. Moomey.
Whitmore—W. R. Adams.
South Macon—R. H. Woodcock, T. J. Fleming.

The matter of selecting the petit jury was deferred until the September meeting and the board adjourned.

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I. O. G. T.

Decatur Lodge, No. 364, I. O. G. T. was favored with visitors last night from Argenta and Faithful. A. F. Smith gave a report of the work of the International Supreme lodge. A fine program was announced for the joint entertainment to be given by Decatur and Faithful lodges Friday night in Chevalier Bayard hall, which is to include the finest musical and literary talent of the city. Committees were selected as follows:

Tables—Mrs. Mary E. Poole, Mrs. Geo. Keyes and Miss Ida Miller.

Ushers—Otis Hoffbeis, Charles Kess, W. M. Yantis and John Stoey.

Reception—Mrs. Theodore Coleman, Jesse Laforgee, J. R. Gorin, Miss Myra Carmany, Emma Weigand, of Decatur, George Paxton, Mrs. George Reckle, Miss Myrtle Mills, Will Reckle and M. B. F. Mills, of Faithful.

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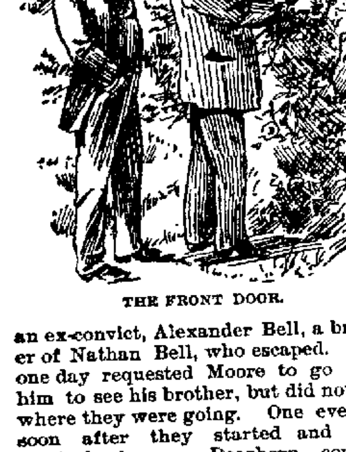
A THIEVES' CAVERN.

It Has a Flower Bed for a Door and Is Elegantly Furnished.

John Moore, a convict sent to the prison south at Jeffersonville, Ind., for larceny, has disclosed the whereabouts of three escaped convicts who tunneled out of the penitentiary four years since. A fifth man, known as Desperate Daily, was shot while attempting to escape and badly wounded. The men who escaped were Robert Adams and Nathan Bell, both from Hancock county, sent for seven and nine years respectively for burglary, Frank McCarty and William Jackson, from Jackson county, five years each for burglary.

Moore says that after being released on the expiration of a former sentence he went to Rushville and fell in with


THE FRONT DOOR.

an ex-convict, Alexander Bell, a brother of Nathan Bell, who escaped. Bell one day requested Moore to go with him to see his brother, but did not say where they were going. One evening soon after they started and soon reached Aurora, Dearborn county. They walked westward on the Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern track for some distance, when they turned and crossed Hogan's creek and turned into a dense forest. After awhile they arrived at the foot of Moore hill, in the heart of the forest, when Bell stopped. Running his arm through an aperture hidden by vines, he unlocked a door opening inwardly, and the two entered a cave about 20x25 feet in size. It was ceiled and elegantly furnished. Soon Adams, McCarty and Bell appeared, and with them Moore stayed three days.

They stated that Jackson died six months after entering the cave, and showed his grave, on which they had taken oaths never to be taken alive. They have a small arsenal all loaded, and a regiment of soldiers would be required to capture them. During Moore's stay dozens of men visited the cave whom he was told were members of organized gangs of thieves in many of the large cities. The front door is covered with earth and has flowers growing over it. At the rear of the cave, which runs north and south, is another secret door for escape.

For years it has been known that a rendezvous existed in that wild and hilly country, but it could never be discovered. Steps will immediately be taken to ferret out the recess and capture the men, when it is thought much plunder will be found. Evidence formerly secured by the authorities substantiates Moore's story.

On next Sunday July 14 the Illinois Central railroad will run another $2.00 excursion to Chicago and return. Special train will leave Decatur at 12 o'clock Saturday night and returning leave Chicago at 11.30 p. m. Sunday night, arriving in Decatur in time for breakfast Monday morning. Take the old reliable Central and avoid crowded coaches. You will be landed in Chicago on Sunday morning, right on the lake front where all steamer excursions start from. Also right in the heart of the city. Chair cars free. Get your tickets at city office, which will be open till 10 p. m. on Saturday night or at Union depot. Remember only $2.00 round trip. 8-d 6t

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Up to 3 o'clock this afternoon there had been 207 votes polled at the East Eldorado polling district for alderman in the Fifth ward.

Did You Ever

try Electric Bitters as a remedy for your troubles? If not, get a bottle now and get relief. This medicine has been found to be peculiarly adapted to the relief and cure of all Female Complaints, exerting a wonderful direct influence in giving strength and tone to the organs. If you have Loss of Appetite, Constipation, Headache, Fainting Spells, or are Nervous, Sleepless, Excitable, Melancholy or troubled with Dizzy Spells, Electric Bitters is the medicine you need. Health and Strength are guaranteed by its use. Large bottles only fifty cents at King & Metz's Drug Store. cm

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Urbana city authorities are laying plans to pave their East Main street to the city limits.

The new elevator of Flannagan & Co., Kumler. will be completed in a few

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Ben Freeman is at Moweaqua.

H. Crea has returned from Chicago.

Miss Pearl Trogdon, of Paris, is the guest of Mrs. Bain Walston.

Miss Marguerite Blackstone left today for Atlanta on a visit.

Mrs. H. C. Mowry, of Forsyth, has gone east on an extended visit.

Miss Maude Wallace, of Taylorville, is in the city visiting Miss Julia Nicholson.

L. S. Colby and daughter, Miss Mary, are at Claremont, N. H., visiting relatives.

Capt. Bingham, who has been camping at Mackinaw, came home to-day for a short stay.

Miss Grace Hamsher arrived home today after a visit of several weeks at Lincoln, Ill.

Mrs. Dr. Osenbauch, after a visit with Mrs. L. M. Gay, left to-day for her home in Lafayette, Ind.

Harvey Boyer has gone to Harrisburg, Pa., where he will visit relatives for a few weeks.

Miss Lena Happer, of West Liberty, Ia., is in the city visiting Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Martin, jr.

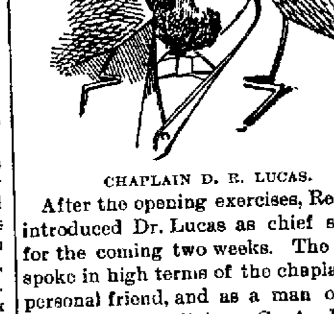
Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Risley left this morning for St. Louis, where they will take a boat for the north. They will be absent several months.

Chester A. Burnside has commenced the study of law in the office of Messrs. Clokey & Black. Mr. Burnside has only lately returned home after a visit to England.

Dr. J. D. Moore has improved somewhat during the past few days, and his condition is more encouraging than it has been for several weeks. His physician and relatives are now hopeful that he will recover.

The Camp Meeting.

It was cool last evening and the clouds looked like rain, but notwithstanding all this an audience of several hundred people gathered in the big tabernacle at Oakland Park to enjoy the singing of Prof. Hopkins and his choir, and the sermon of Chaplain Lucas. The Endeavor society had an interesting meeting in their pretty tent just before the general service. Mr. Luse, of the Woodman Band, presides at the organ and a number of the orchestra boys assist in adding volume and attractiveness to the music.


CHAPLAIN D. R. LUCAS.

After the opening exercises, Rev. Hall introduced Dr. Lucas as chief speaker for the coming two weeks. The pastor spoke in high terms of the chaplain as a personal friend, and as a man of wide reputation in religious, G. A. R. and political circles. The sermon was a good one, extolling the Bible and Christ's scheme of human redemption. The chaplain is a born orator, and will no doubt draw large audiences during his stay in our city. He speaks every night at 8 o'clock.

Would you save labor, trouble, disappointment? Use Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder always.

An Old Relic.

Yesterday R. J. Roberts, the Decatur house-mover, moved an old log house in Mt. Zion township known as the Henry Traughber house. The house was built fifty years ago, was 20x30 feet, two stories high and had two brick chimneys, the second brick chimneys built in Macon county. The house was moved to give place to a new one, but it will continue to be used as a dwelling.

Sales of Real Estate.

B. H. Cassell to J. C. Wagy, lot 14, block 1, Cassell's seventh addition—$2,000.

George F. Bell to Clara E. Bell, south one-half lot 10, block 2, Durfee & King's addition—$100.

J. Millikin to H. E. Hamsher, lot 6, block 2, Millikin Place—$630.

Michael Eichinger to W. J. Chenoweth, lots 11, 12, 13, 14, 17, 18, 19 and 20, block 4, Eichinger Heights—$3200.

Michael Eichinger to Eliza R. Piper, lots 15 and 16, block 4, Eichinger Heights—$800.

When the Barbers Quit Work.

On Sundays every man will want a razor of his own. He will also want a good razor strop, and may be a pair of clippers. The H. Mueller Gun Store has just received a complete line of this class of goods, and offer them at very reasonable prices. They have the finest line of razors ever shown in the city. july1-d1m

Look Here, Farmers.

Newton's Roller and Harrow, for rolling and harrowing between the rows of corn, large and small; takes two middles at a time. Go and see them at Geo. S. Durfee & Bro.'s, Decatur, Ill. July 9-6

Daylight Robbery.

The home of Wm. Voorhies, jr., on West William street, was entered by a burglar yesterday afternoon and robbed of a lady's fine gold watch and a five dollar bill.

Free chair car open at 10 p. m. on Saturday night for the I. C. R. R. excursion to Chicago. 9-d5

COCHRAN AHEAD.

Contest for the Speakership in the Legislature.

[Special to the Republican.]

Springfield, Ill., July 9.—The General Assembly met this noon, pursuant to adjournment, and adjourned to Wednesday in respect to the late speaker, John Meyer. Representative J. W. White presided in the House.

The Republican caucus for the speakership will be held this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. The contest is between W. G. Cochran, of Moultrie county, and Daniel Berry, of Carroll county. White withdrew in favor of Cochran, and Needles in favor of Berry. It is believed that Mr. Cochran will be elected in the caucus with votes to spare.

FIFTEEN KILLED.

[Special to the Republican.]

Chicago, July 9.—In an accident this morning on the Grand Trunk road near Richmond, Quebec, fifteen persons were killed and 40 others seriously hurt.

LATER.

Chicago, July 9.—The train wrecked in Canada contained a number of pilgrims on their way to the Shrine of St. Anne De Baupre. The killed number 25, including five Priests; injured 34.

COMING TO DECATUR.

The Litchfield Hose Team Wins at Hillsboro in 37 Seconds.

This letter to J. H. Leonard, the dry goods merchant, from the hose team at Litchfield, his old home, indicates that Litchfield is likely to carry off first prize at the state firemen's tournament here July 23 to 26:

Litchfield, Ill., July 7, '85.

J. H. Leonard, Decatur, Ill.—*Dear Friend John:* I will drop you a few lines to let you know how the boys all are. I read your letter at the last meeting and they were of course all glad to hear from you. We will be at the Firemen's Tournament, you bet! We went to Hillsboro on the 4th and the Rescues took first prize for the best uniformed company, besides we took first money in the race—our time being 37 seconds. We have got the best team we ever had. Look out for us, for we will be there.

Yours, G. T. Yowell.

Burglary at Irwin.

Monday night burglars entered the store of A. F. Hopkins at Elwin, in which building the postoffice is located. The thieves carried away pocket knives, gloves, cigars, candy, etc., valued at about $15. They did did not get any jewelry, money or postage stamps, as those articles are all removed from the store at night. The postoffice was not molested in the least, except the empty money drawer was pulled out and a burnt match left in it. Many burnt matches were dropped in and upon the showcases. The burglars evidently did not complete their work, as they went out through the very top of a window, eight feet above the floor, where they got in by breaking a 12x20 window pane.

Got a Razor?

Better get one, because when the barber shops are closed on Sunday every man will have to be his own barber. Couldn't tell a good razor if you saw it? Go to the H. Mueller gun store. They have the finest line of high-class goods ever seen in Decatur or any other town in central Illinois. They also have a complete line of razor strops and will offer you prices that are right. july1-d1m

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The W. C. T. U. meeting will be held in the hall in Library Block at 2:30 o'clock. The old rooms will be retained, and those members who have not paid the dollar assessment are requested to be present to make payment. The subject for the afternoon will be "Systematic Giving."

Good Pasture.

This is the proper time to sow rye for pasture. We have a very choice lot of new rye, which we are offering for seeding purposes. Call at the

july5-d&w1w Hatfield Milling Co.

To prevent pale and delicate children from lapsing into chronic invalids later in life, they should take Ayer's Sarsaparilla together with plenty of wholesome food and out-door exercise. What they need to build up the system is good red blood.

Everybody that went to Chicago over I. C. excursion the last time will certainly go that way again as they all had a nice chair car both going and coming. Remember the next one is next Saturday night. 8-d 6

"Joe Hun"

Is the name some people give our new tan shoe we call the Bankers' Pride. It's perfectly plain in French toe.

Powers' Shoe Store.

See those 3 piece Bed Room Suits, chevale bevel edge glass, for only $12.50, at Bachman Bros. & Martin Co. 9-d6

MARRIED.

July 6, by Justice Peddecord at his office, David Kizer and Mrs. Anna Coons.

The school census of Petersburg indicates a population of 2,857. There are 124 colored inhabitants in the town.

LINN & SCRUGGS
DRY GOODS & CARPET COMPANY.

Cut Price Sale
In All Departments.

Wash Dress Goods.
Second Week of July Sale.

Still greater reductions in hot summer dress goods.

100 pieces fine printed Dimities and India Linens worth up to 15c, all at one price, 6⅞c yard.

One full line of dark ground Lawns, beautiful printing, worth up to 12½c, special for this week 5⅞c yard.

Crinkled Mull in dainty colorings, the new wash fabric, July sale 6⅞c yard.

Princess Dress Ducks, beautiful qualities, new patterns, fast colors, July sale 9½c yard.

Imported Novelties, Bourettes, Crepons, etc., all the finest grades of cotton dress goods worth up to 50c, special for July sale 25c yard.

French Organdies, dainty colors, finest qualities, come while they last—they will not be here long at 18c yard.

25 pieces Checked Linens, all colors, absolutely fast, special for July sale 6⅞c yard.

50 pieces French Zephyr Ginghams, dress styles, choice of the lot 9c yard.

White dotted Swisses in extra fine quality worth up to 27½c yard. Choice all week 12½c yard.

White Check Lawn, fine fabric, assorted checks, regular 20c value, July sale 9½c yard.

Bordered Apron Lawns, 42 inches wide, for skirts or aprons, special 12½c yard.

Colored dotted Swisses, pink, blue, scarlet, bluet and yellow, regular value 35c, special July sale 19c yard.

One box Manchester's Challies, beautiful printings, choice this week 27c.

July Linens.

This week will be an exception in Linen bargains. Housekeepers would do well to visit this department.

50 doz. Turkish Towels, extra large and heavy, special 9c each.

30 dozen Linen Bedroom Towels, large size, worth up to 22½c, your choice this week 12½c each.

72 inch Barnesly loom Damask, new patterns, extra weight, regular value 85c, special 69c yard.

58 inch German bleached Damask, no dressing, fine quality, a rare bargain at 49c yard.

This week we will sell 100 dozen bleached Damask Napkins at a price. The lot consists of ⅝ and ¾ size German and Irish manufacture, worth up to $2.75 per dozen. Your choice while they last at $1.69 per dozen.

One case extra large crochet Bed Spread, hemmed ready for use. July sale 98c each.

One case bleached twilled Towling, 18 inches wide, July sale 3½c yard.

Mosquito nets, all colors, best quality, all week at 27½c a bolt.

Ladies' Waists and Muslin Underwear.

75 dozen White Lawn Waists, 35c, 49c, 75c, 98c, $1.25, 1.50, 1.75 and 2.00.

100 dozen Laundered Waists at 59c, 85c, 98c, $1.25, 1.49 and 1.75.

25 dozen Empire Gowns at 98c. White Shirts, Drawers and Corset Covers at reduced prices.

A BONAFIDE

Cash Clearance Sale

—OF—

Seasonable Footwear

We will sell during the month of July our entire stock of Tan Shoes and Oxfords in Men's, Misses' and Children's, at Prime Cost to close out.......

Men's Low Cut Shoes
Men's Fine Oxfords

At Cost.

Our immense stock must be reduced to make room for our fall goods. Now is your time to secure bargains in fine footwear. The largest stock in the city to select from..................

J. P. PHILPOTT,
150 MERCHANT ST., DECATUR.

HOW DO YOU DO

About it—when you need some Furniture, a Stove or a Carpet, and haven't the cash to pay? Do you go without them until you have saved up the necessary money? If you DO you are cheating yourself out of a lot of comfort and you are not gaining a penny by the operation.

WE SELL ON CREDIT

Not Furniture, Stoves and Carpets alone, but Mattresses, Refrigerators, Baby Carriages and everything else known to housekeeping. We ask you to compare our prices with those of the cash stores. There's only one price mark here, it's in plain figures, and it's cash or credit. No notes, no interest small weekly or monthly payments.

G. W. SCOVILL,
Complete House Furnisher,
S. Side City Park.

RIGGIN, SHIREY & CO.,
JOBBERS IN
CONFECTIONERY,
FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC FRUITS
AND PRODUCE.

123–125–127–129 East North St.,

DECATUR, - - ILLINOIS.

Will be in New Rooms after Thursday.

REFERENCES—J. Millikin & Co., Bankers, Decatur, Ill.; Bradstreet's and Dunn's Commercial Agencies.

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of William Harbarger, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed administratrix of the estate of William Harbarger, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the August term, on the third Thursday in August next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 3d day of July, 1895.

MARY HARBARGER, Administratrix.

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To Whom It May Concern.

You will take notice that the undersigned intends to make application to the regular meeting of the City Council of the city of Decatur, Illinois, on July 22, A. D. 1895, for a license to retail intoxicating liquors in a house or building designated and known as the Amphitheater building, situated upon the property of the Decatur Trotting Association, and described as follows, to wit: The southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section number two (2), in township number sixteen (16) north, range two east of the third principal meridian, and situated in Macon county, Illinois, which said house or building is owned by said Decatur Trotting Association.

Dated at Decatur, Illinois, this 9th day of July, A. D. 1895.

PETER HALMBACHER

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Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Fredricka Delbridge, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed administrator of the estate of Fredricka Delbridge, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the August term on the first Monday in August next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 13th day of June, 1895.

ANDREW H. MILLS, Administrator.

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Shooting Gallery.—C. A. Fisk opened our Shooting Gallery, over Morgan's clothing store. A quiet place. Fine targets and guns. Gun repairing and repairs of all kinds. 29-d6

We Can
Stand I

We have bought a gre[...] shoes and they are coming [...] want a place to put them [...] want to clear out our summ[...] We know that we canno[...] these goods at the price we [...] to sell them for,

But that mak[...] no difference.

We have decided t[...] friends a benefit...

You know that there has been a [...] in leather and that shoes are going to [...] know that if you buy of us right now y[...] to buy for future use, because this op[...] never again be offered.

For instance we have a lot o[...] Ladies' Dongola Button Shoes, all pl[...] chine sewed and hand turned, made t[...] $3.50 per pair. We are going to close [...] 85c a pair straight. They run in siz[...] 2 1-2, 3, 3 1-2, 4, 6, 6 1-2 and 7, all [...]

Buy them
at this offer

or do not expect us to furnish th[...] this price. Your neighbors are sure [...] tage of a good thing like this when it [...]

For Men

We intend to give a like bene[...] shoes, for we are going to close out al[...]

Our $5 Men's [...] style toes [...]
Our $4.00 ta[...]
Our $3.50 ta[...]
Our $2.50 ta[...]

We have a big line of these good[...] all fresh and new.

We have other bargains equally [...] we won't rehearse them now. Co[...] see—we are sure to sell you.

F. H. Cole Sh[...]

B. F. BOBO, Man[...]

148 East Main Street.